

RECEIVED
OCT 05 1999
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

AFK
GP1616
PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 02481.1403-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ulrich STACHE et al.

Serial No.: 08/897,455

Filed: July 22, 1997

For: CORTICOID-17, 21-DICARBOXYLIC ESTERS
AND CORTICOSTEROID 17-CARBOXYLIC
ESTER 21-CARBONIC ESTERS, PROCESSES
FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND
PHARMACEUTICALS CONTAINING THESE
COMPOUNDS



Group Art Unit: 1616

Examiner: B. Badio

BOX AF

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

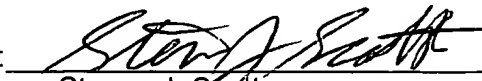
Applicants hereby petition for a four-month extension of time. A fee of \$1,360.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

By: 
Frank E. Caffoe
Reg. No. 18,621

By: 
Steven J. Scott
Reg. No. 43,911

Date: October 1, 1999

10/04/1999 CVORACHA 00000102 08897455

01 FC:118

1360.00 GP

LAW OFFICES
FINNEGAN, HENDERSON,
FARABOW, GARRETT,
& DUNNER, L.L.P.
1300 I STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005
202-408-4000